

B2046 - AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCES CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION.

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y: *Joint Budget Committee*

or An Act To Be Entitled

N ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCES FOR THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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N ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCES

APITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Education – Arkansas school for Mathematics and Sciences, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

(A) For costs associated with the purchase, upgrade, and installation of equipment for the Arkansas School for Mathematics and Sciences, the amount of.....\$250,000.

SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

(B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of any funds provided by this act unless specifically provided otherwise by law.

SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the

onstitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2
ear period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2001 is essential to the operation of
he agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an
xtension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2001
ould work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmenta
rograms. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for th
mmEDIATE preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect
rom and after July 1, 2001.

s/ Joint Budget Committee